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"Peace with Axis or Utter Ruin"

—HESS'S OFFER TO BRITAIN.

A VIRTUAL ultimatum that Britain should make peace with the Axis or suffer "utter destruction" and "permanent subjection," was brought to Britain by Rudolf Hess on May 10, 1941.

Mr. Eden, after explaining in the House of Commons yesterday that the facts were held up for so long because the Government "thought that a certain amount of perplexity about the events would be unhealthy for Germany," issued the full story in a written reply.

Hess said that his aim was to convince responsible persons that, since England could not win, her wisest course was to make peace at once. The proposals could be considered only on the understanding that they were negotiated with an English Government other than the present one." The Fuehrer would not negotiate with Churchill and his colleagues.

"I am on a mission of humanity. The Fuehrer does not want to defeat England, and wants to stop fighting," he said, adding that he had come without the knowledge of Hitler. He stressed the enormous power of Germany in the air and in U-boats, which later, he stated, would grow much greater. He affirmed the certainty of England's defeat by blockade, if not very quickly, in the course of 2 or 3 years. He gave his word of honour that the Fuehrer had never entertained any designs against the British Empire, nor had he ever aspired to world domination. The Fuehrer would sincerely regret the collapse of the British Empire. Hitler had declared to him, as recently as May 3, that he had no oppressive demands to make on England.

CHIEF POINTS

Main points of the solution which Herr Hess put forward were as follows:—

(1) That Germany should be given a free hand in Europe.

(2) That England should have a free hand in the British Empire, except that the ex-German colonies should be returned to Germany.

(3) That Russia should be included in Asia, but that Germany had certain demands to make of Russia, which would have to be satisfied, either by negotiation or as the result of war. There was, however, no truth in the rumours that the Fuehrer contemplated an early attack on Russia.

(4) That the British should evacuate Iraq.

Hess said that his flight was intended to give Great Britain a chance of opening conversations without loss of prestige. If this chance were rejected, it would be the Fuehrer's duty to destroy Great Britain utterly, and to keep the country after the war in a state of permanent subjection.

The "terms" were re-stated by Hess in a signed document dated June 10.

It was throughout made clear to Hess that there was no question whatever of any talks or negotiations of any kind taking place with Hitler or his Government.

Hess has been dealt with as a prisoner of war since his arrival in Great Britain, and will so continue to be treated till the end of the war.

SOVIETS NOW IN SIGHT OF KIEV

CONTINUING their steady advance on a 900-mile front, Soviet forces yesterday captured nearly 1,000 places. Advanced columns are within sight of Kiev. Dnepropetrovsk is only 13 miles away. Roslavl is expected to fall at any moment, and a wedge driven into the German defences between Smolensk and Velizh places German communications here in dire peril, Reuter reports from Moscow.

The port of Anapa, 30 miles N.W. of Novorossisk, has been captured after fierce fighting, Moscow states. The German News Agency last night reported its evacuation.

Smolensk is being attacked by one of the most daring pincer movements undertaken since Stalingrad, Reuter's Special Correspondent cables from Moscow. While General Popov's army is hammering at the gates of Roslavl, S.E. of Smolensk, General Sokolovsky is driving a big wedge between Smolensk and Velizh to the north-west. This wedge is moving forward on a front of over 20 miles. The heavy fortifications on the eastern arc around Smolensk are outflanked and the rear communications of the German forces defending the fortress are now in the utmost peril.

One column of Sokolovsky's forces is only 22 miles from the Smolensk-Vitebsk railway.

Meanwhile troops, under General Yeremenko, are pushing down the Dvina river from Velizh, effectively pinning down the German forces at Vitebsk and preventing them from giving effective aid to the Smolensk garrison.

The fall of Roslavl is expected at any moment.

COUNTER-ATTACKS

The drive towards the Dnieper, further south, is continuing with full force. Battles are taking place along the railway, less than 20 miles from Dnepropetrovsk; the Germans are counter-attacking with considerable tank forces.

General Rokossovsky's forces, advancing on Kiev on a 100-mile front, are already within sight of the great Ukraine capital, only 20 miles away. From north and south the Kiev garrison faces the danger of being outflanked. The Germans are also being forced back under great pressure beyond the Desna town of Chernigov.

Capture of Chernigov has increased the threat to Gomel, 60 miles to the north, and has thus driven the first gap into the road to Minsk, in the heart of White Russia. The battle for the liberation of White Russia now enters an active stage. The German garrison made tremendous efforts to hold Chernigov, and fought desperately to the last man.

The liquidation of the German bridgehead in the Kuban is being pushed ahead, Reuter reports. The German line is now only 26 miles long, and their hold is weakening hourly.

KUBAN PRESSURE

Increased Soviet pressure against the German covering forces along the whole front of the Kuban bridgehead was reported from Berlin. "A Soviet landing attempt in the German rear was detected in time and the landing forces were annihilated," the German News Agency said last night.

Captain Sertorius, the German military commentator, stated last night that the Red Army is attacking the German positions in the Smolensk area with most powerful forces, and a pincer movement is taking shape. Further south, in the Roslavl sector, he added, Soviet pressure was greatly increasing, and was being met in "elastic defence warfare."

The Soviet communiqué, after announcing the capture of Anapa, gave details of advances in the directions of eight German bases. Towards Dnepropetrovsk and Kiev gains of 12 miles were claimed, and 15 in the direction of Gomel.

Germans Fall Back to Corner of Corsica

THE Germans in Corsica were reported yesterday to have withdrawn to the north-east corner of the island.

Last night's French communiqué from Allied H.Q., North Africa, stated:—

"Regular French troops and patriot detachments are continuing to harass the enemy, who is withdrawing from the Bonifacio-Portovecchio region towards the north-eastern corner of the island.

"In the past few days the Germans have left more than a thousand dead on the battlefield. Several hundred prisoners fell into our hands. In the Levie sector the Germans were obliged to withdraw with heavy losses after violent fighting. An American Commando unit is fighting by the side of the patriots and regular French troops."

Giving the first eye-witness description of the Allied landing, Radio France (Algiers) said last night:

"On September 15 two French destroyers which put into the port had on board a battalion of French shock troops and the new authorities for the island.

"Contact with Corsicans had been kept up, so that on the eve of the armistice, 15,000 were already armed by the Allies and only waiting for battle."

With French regular troops from North Africa and Corsican detachments now holding the whole of the western part of the island, American Liberators and British and Canadian Wellingtons from North-West Africa are attacking the Germans' remaining line across the Corsican channel.

Liberators, brought from England to reinforce the North-West African forces, heavily raided Bastia, on the north-east coast, the principal Corsican port left to the Germans, as well as Leghorn, on the Italian mainland.

The Liberators sank several ships, and Wellingtons were in action against a sea convoy off Nice, the nearest French port to Corsica.

Corsicans now hold Sartene and Corte, two principal towns on the main road running north-south through the centre of the island. In the north they hold St. Florent, six miles from Bastia.

British Push Towards Naples

(From Haig Nicholson, Reuter's Special Correspondent at Allied Headquarters.)

MAN-HANDLING guns and supplies over almost impassable mountain country, British units of the Fifth Army are steadily gnawing their way towards Naples.

Defence rings are being constructed hurriedly by the Germans around the city.

Just under 60 miles inland from the Salerno battle zone the Eighth Army, which "reappeared" yesterday with the capture of Potenza, after their whereabouts had been kept secret for days, are now driving north against only light opposition.

As the Eighth Army advances the small German "bulge" between Potenza and Salerno is being rapidly levelled off. The Germans are withdrawing rapidly to the north, pivoting on their right flank in the mountains above Salerno.

TOWNS FALL

More towns have fallen to the Fifth Army. They are San Cipriano, in the mountains, five miles north-east of Salerno, to the British; Montecorvina, Rovella, 12 miles east of Salerno, and Campagna, some 15 miles further south-west, to the Americans.

The Salerno plain is now cleared of the Germans, and smashed German tanks and guns litter the ground. Heavy casualties have been inflicted on them, and a large number of prisoners have been taken. A fair percentage are from German-controlled European countries.

Now the fighting has passed into the hills, where the Germans are firmly installed in good positions, with plenty of guns, mortars and machine-guns. The British forces are advancing in the general direction of Naples under heavy fire, and in face of many demolitions and mines.

The terrain is worse than anything the Allies encountered in Tunisia or Sicily, and is of great tactical value to the Germans, who are using the time thus won to lay an arc of defences on the southern and eastern sides of Naples.

North of Taranto, possibly in the Gioia area, a small British force routed a larger German force in a short, sharp fight. They killed 50 of the Germans, took a number of prisoners, and destroyed a number of armoured vehicles.

According to one report, the Allied line now runs from the hills north of Salerno roughly south-east on a jagged line through San Cipriano, Montecorvina, Rovella, Campagna, Castelcivita (25 miles south-east of Salerno), and Potenza.

TWIN DRIVE

A twin Allied drive to reach the vital road junction of Conturso, 18 miles inland from the Gulf of Salerno, was reported last night from Berlin. This road by-passes Naples through the Apennines, and leads to the road and rail nerve centre of Benevento, on the Vulturno river, along which, it has been suggested, the Germans may stand.

Behind the German lines at Benevento, north-east of Naples, Flying Fortresses dropped bombs on both ends of an important bridge over a river. During this vital road and rail centre German road convoys were sighted in groups of up to 100 lorries. They were bombed and gunned day and night, and many were destroyed.—(Reuter.)

Radio Algiers said last night that the German line on the Salerno front has been folded back, and the German left flank now "faces to the south instead of to the west."

On this front the Germans face the combined strength of the Fifth and Eighth Armies.

Beveridge Scheme in Danger

SIR. WM. BEVERIDGE said at Hornsey, London, last night: "I hope that you'll ask for not less than my plan. I've done all the cutting down that is needed. But, if you don't take care, you may find it cut down still more—in adequacy, in unity, and by concessions to sectional interests. Of the six new features of my plan, the Government, at present, have accepted only three."

Asked "Will the plan be adopted in Britain," he replied: "It is up to you. If you want social security you must work for it politically; not wait for it to drop into your mouths. Working politically means making plain to members of Parliament what you want. A Government which makes heavy weather of my plan, or whittles it down through timidity, departmentalism or tenderness to special interests will certainly fail on the harder jobs that lie behind.

"If a Coalition Government is too conservative to give you not less than my plan it certainly will not be adventurous enough to give you full employment or to redistribute industry and population and make an end of slums. You will be better off without a Coalition, but I hope you won't be put to that choice yet."

Sir William said his plan, in the first year, would cost the taxpayer only £86,000,000—equivalent of 6d. in income tax and 1d. on beer. Afterwards the tax contribution rose, but other national expenditure arising out of the war would be falling.

Fresh Allied Offensive in New Guinea

AUSTRALIAN paratroops, striking the first blow in General MacArthur's fresh New Guinea offensive, have captured Kaipit, 60 miles north of Lae.

As the Australians landed at Kaipit U.S. Liberators struck at Wewak and Madang, the remaining Japanese bases in the area. The Kaipit garrison made several counter-attacks, but were driven back. The village is 200 miles south-east of Wewak and 70 miles from Madang. Aircraft and fuel dumps at both Wewak aerodromes were set on fire.

The Australian troops who occupied Lae have been put to work clearing up the débris. The haul of booty here is the biggest yet made in the war against Japan.

Liberators of the Tenth United States Air Force attacked without loss railway yards at Wetlet, thirty miles north-west of Mandalay, destroying the main line, sidings and rolling stock, says yesterday's communiqué from United States Air Force H.Q.

American fighters shot down 17 out of 50 Japanese 'planes which raided the U.S. air base H.Q. in China on Monday.

NEW COMMAND

The vast territory to be commanded by Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten as C.-in-C., South-East Asia, is disclosed for the first time in advices reaching me from India, writes Reuter's observer on Far Eastern affairs. His command extends over French Indo-China, Siam, Malaya, Sumatra and Burma, and at sea ranges over the Bay of Bengal, the Indian Ocean and the Arabian Sea.

JAPANESE PLAN

Criticism of the measures outlined by General Tojo, the Japanese Prime Minister, yesterday was voiced by the Tokyo newspaper, *Mainichi Shimbuna*, quoted last night by the German Overseas News Agency. Tojo referred to what he called drastic measures to meet a grave position.

"The delay in drawing up the measures now resolved is to be regretted," the *Mainichi Shimbun* was quoted as saying. "The Japanese people had become tired of hearing that they were faced with a grave national peril." Amazement was expressed that the measures were presented as new decisions, as it was generally assumed that these had been put into practice long ago, or at least begun.

The main points of the new measures are:—Concentration of the arms industry, air force expansion; self-sufficiency in food; complete mobilisation, including women and elderly persons; air defences, and special measures for the protection of Government buildings and factories in Tokyo and other big cities; increased taxation and saving.—(Reuter.)

Britain Will Not Annex Sicily

MR. EDEN, British Foreign Secretary, replying to the war debate yesterday in the House of Commons, said that the Government had examined the problem of relief for the sufferings, particularly of children, in the occupied countries. "The truth is, that when you embark on anything of this kind you cannot find a point at which you can help. This matter has been looked at by the War Cabinet many times. We have tried to find schemes many times, and we have reluctantly come to the conclusion that the only thing that can be done for these people is to speed the final victory.

"It is not true that A.M.G.O.T. (Allied Military Government in Occupied Territories) has maintained Fascist officials in office. All the leading Fascists who have been in charge of the divisions have been got rid of, and A.M.G.O.T. has done what it could to choose men who locally had a certain amount of popularity."

Speaking of the reasons for the use of the Carabinieri, he said:—"If we had not used the Carabinieri, we should have had to employ at least 10,000 British troops to do their job not so well."

Mr. Ivor Thomas (Lab., Keighley) suggested that Mr. Eden's statement might encourage the idea that Great Britain intended to annex Sicily, and Mr. Eden replied:—

"There is not the least intention of annexing Sicily while the present military situation prevails, and while we are using this island for the preparation for the advance to Naples it is quite impossible to allow free rein to the various political parties there. The regulations are not tightly applied. There is a great deal of political discussion, and there is freedom of the Press to say what they like about each other, and even about A.M.G.O.T."

PRACTICAL TASK

The task of A.M.G.O.T., he pointed out, was, in the main, not political, but practical. They came into cities utterly devastated by aerial bombardment, probably without water or light, and with dead lying about the streets, without food, and with very little transport. Amgot had to try to restore something in the nature of normal life to these cities. They had to try to prevent outbreaks of epidemics, such as typhus. Mr. Eden said it was not intended that the A.M.G.O.T. organisation should be permanent.

"We do not want to have this burden of administration on our hands. The sooner we can find an Italian administration which can take this burden off our hands the better we shall be pleased. The same is true of other countries. It is our intent—at the very earliest possible moment after landing—that administration shall be turned over to the friendly liberated Government with whom we are in relation, or to some authority representing that country."

Asked if it would apply to France, Mr. Eden replied: "Yes, certainly."

Speaking of relations with the U.S.S.R., Mr. Eden said:—"I have always been one who believed and believes intensely in close and intimate relations between this country and Russia. I believe them to be essential to the defeat of the enemy and to lasting peace when this struggle is over. We shall have our differing points of view, but broadly the interests of this country, of the British Commonwealth, of the United States, of the U.S.S.R. and of China are the same, because broadly our interests do not clash and all our interests are in peace.

"We want to build up a peace system that will endure and a peace system backed by the necessary authority to prevent the recurrence of these scourging wars.

Fight Expected for Tipperary Vacancy

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

With the holding of the Fianna Fail Ard Fheis next week the lull which has prevailed over the political arena since the recent elections will give place to renewed activities. This, by the way, is the first time since the war started that this hitherto annual event has been held.

It may be taken as a hint that, notwithstanding the Taoiseach's warning that the danger is not yet passed, the party managers think differently. Moreover, there is to be a by-election as soon after the Dail meets as possible. On October 20 there will be a motion on the Order Paper for the issue of a writ for an election to fill the vacancy in Tipperary caused by the death of a Fianna Fail deputy, Mr. Martin Ryan, who died on July 22, just a month after he had been elected.

The policy of not holding by-elections when a vacancy occurs, which was observed since the beginning of the present emergency, is now being dropped, and the contest in Tipperary is already engaging an amount of interest. On the figures of the first preference votes at the June election, the seat would seem to be fairly safe for Fianna Fail, but I am informed that Fine Gael will certainly contest it. Whether Labour and the Farmers will put up candidates is not yet indicated. The total Fianna Fail vote at last election was 25,166 and Fine Gael 16,450. Labour got over 7,000 votes, and Farmers over 5,000.

There is some party activity locally, but so far no dates have been fixed for the selection of candidates.

When Italy Will Be Free

—BADOGLIO.

An official statement by Marshal Badoglio was broadcast from Algiers last night as follows:—

1. The King and the Royal House are the expression of the will of the Italian people;

2. The Italian people does not want to have anything more to do with Fascism, be it called Republican or Monarchist;

3. The armed forces have sworn loyalty to the King and obey the King exclusively;

4. The Italian people have not betrayed the Germans. They have been betrayed by the Nazi-Fascist conspiracy. The peasants and the population of Northern Italy will not forget the tens of thousands of their sons which were sent to die in Russia, in the African desert, in the sole interest of Germany;

5. The behaviour of the Germans after the armistice has made the action of the Italian people inevitable, and has rendered deeper still the abyss between Italy and Germany.

6. The sooner the Germans have been chased out of Italy the sooner Italy will be free;

7. The refugees, the peasants, the workers, all classes, under the leadership of the King and of his Government, will together build the future destiny of Italy;

9. Italy will surge from this tragedy stronger than ever, if all Italians remain united and confident of victory.

Marshal Badoglio, attacking Signor Mussolini's policy, said: "Mussolini has dragged Italy into new wars which no Italian wanted and were not warranted by the hate of any Italians."

Referring to the armistice, he said: "The conditions are hard, but we must not forget that we have been beaten. On the other hand, a certain number of clauses have already been altered by the evolution of the situation. Our armed reaction to the German aggression has brought us nearer to co-operation with the Allies."—(Reuter.)

Princess Elizabeth's Majority

New legislation mentioned by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons, yesterday, and asked for by the King, will amend the provisions of the Regency Act to remove an anomaly, the Press Association Court Correspondent understands.

Under the terms of the Act, Princess Elizabeth, heiress-presumptive to the Throne, would come of age on her 18th birthday (April 21, 1944), as far as the question of succession arises. But she remains a minor until 21 in relation to service as a Counsellor of State.

The new legislation, to which it is considered there will be no opposition, will remedy this contradiction by enabling the Princess to serve as a Counsellor of State after next April.

Kesselring's Food Order

Rome Radio last night broadcast an Order issued by Kesselring, Commander of the Italian South Zone, which condemns to death "whoever takes advantage of the food scarcity and withholds food destined for the population, or accepts or offers excessive prices." This Order comes into force forthwith.

A new appeal to Italian workers broadcast last night asked all Italian workers willing to enter the German Army in an auxiliary capacity, such as drivers, mechanics, hairdressers, shoemakers, cooks, interpreters, to report in Rome.—(Reuter.)

Wexford Bird Refuge as Tourist Resort

The Great Saltee Island, four miles off the Wexford coast and the home of millions of sea birds, has been bought by Mr. Prince Neale, of Orwell road, Rathgar, Dublin. The island contains much rich tillage land, and, since the war started, wheat and other crops have been grown there. Mr. Neale will continue the tillage operations, but meanwhile he is planning to turn the island into a holiday resort. A first class hotel will be erected and a scheme is being developed whereby tourists landing at Rosslare from the cross-Channel mail steamers will be able to travel to the island in amphibious "ducks" or be flown there by helicopter.

Mr. Neale, who farms extensively in Co. Wexford, where he grew upwards of 200 acres of wheat this year; is fond of birds, and intends to safeguard the island as a bird sanctuary. It is estimated that from March to July every year two million sea birds, of nearly thirty varieties, breed in the crevices of the three hundred feet high cliffs.

Empire Premiers to Meet

A meeting early next year of all the Empire Prime Ministers was forecast in the House of Commons yesterday by Mr. Churchill.

He told Mr. Dugdale (Labour, West Bromwich) that such a meeting was regarded as "an important and immediate objective," and likely to be more acceptable than an Imperial Conference.

Free German Committee in Russia

According to *Pravda*, a "Union of German officers," composed of prisoners of war, has been formed in Russia, and has appealed to German commanders to overthrow Herr Hitler. The text of their appeal is given with the facsimile signatures of the German officers who signed it.

"A conference of German officers, consisting of over 100 delegates from five prisoner of war camps, was held in Moscow on September 11th and 12th," *Pravda* says. "It fully endorsed the aims of the Free Germany National Committee formed last July and decided to join it.

"Three German generals captured at Stalingrad in January have been elected to the Committee of the Union. They are General von Seidlitz, Commander of the 151st Army Corps, who was unanimously elected President; Lieut.-General von Daniels, Commander of the 366th Infantry Division, and Major-General Korfes, Commander of the 295th Infantry Division.

"The Committee also includes Major-General Latmann, Commander of a tank division; Colonel van Hauven, Chief of the Signals Service of the German 6th Army, and Colonel Steidle, Commander of the 767th Grenadier Regiment."—(Reuter.)

Harvesting Outlook Improved

Improved harvesting conditions have revived hopes of farmers who saw the produce of one of the best tillage years gradually deteriorating as a result of heavy rains. A fortnight's fine weather would materially help to secure a reduction in the admixture of barley in Irish bread by ensuring a sound wheat yield.

In some parts of the country harvesting has been hampered by lack of sufficient machinery, but the arrival of a certain number of reapers and binders has eased the situation, and then need for speed is so great that workmen who normally would receive 36s. per week are getting as much as £1 per day as harvesters.

Particularly in the south, members of the Defence Forces have been given special early leave, and are assisting farmers.

British Town-Planning Delays

Strong criticism of the British Government's delay in announcing its town-planning proposals was voiced in the House of Lords yesterday by Lord Latham. Who jettisoned the legislation that was ready almost two years' ago, he asked.

His remarks followed a statement by Lord Snell that he hoped the Scott report—which deals with the development of rural England, agriculture, housing and industry—would be ready within the next two or three weeks.

Outside London, said Lord Latham, speculation was going on and land prices were rising because local authorities were unable to publish their plans.

Banning of English Newspaper

Mr. Reakes (Ind., Wallasey) asked the British Minister of Information yesterday, in the House of Commons, what representations he proposed to make with regard to the banning of the *Sunday Dispatch* in Eire by the Irish censor, and would he make it clear that such interference with the British Press is resented in Britain?

Mr. Thurtle, Parliamentary Secretary:—"The Minister is not proposing to make any representations. The Ministry of Information is not concerned with the actions of the Eire censor."

German bread ration has been increased by 400 grammes (approximately 14 ounces) per rationing period (four weeks), the German News Agency announced yesterday. The increase is "due to the excellent harvest this year."

Spain's Blue Division An Obstacle

Mr. Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, answering questions in the House of Commons yesterday about Great Britain's relations with Spain, told Mr. George Strauss (Lab., Lambeth N.) that, while some complaints had been remedied, Sir Samuel Hoare, in his recent interview with General Franco, drew attention to matters which still required attention if General Franco's proclaimed policy of equal treatment of belligerents was to be carried out. Among the questions raised was the position of the "Blue Division," which was regarded as a serious obstacle to cordial Anglo-Spanish relations so long as it remained in Russia.

Mr. Eden added that he had no information to show that the Spanish ports were available to German submarines.

"We look to the Spanish Government for an early improvement in the situation," he said.

Asked by Mr. Hewlett (C., Manchester Exchange) to define Britain's present attitude towards the Spanish occupation of Tangier, Mr. Eden said that under the *modus vivendi* of 1941—which the British Government had always regarded as provisional—British rights in the zone had been and were fully safeguarded. Meanwhile, the British Government had requested the Spanish Government to put an end to the un-neutral activities by German nationals against British interests, and to ensure the maintenance of strict neutrality.

Livestock in the North

Mr. John Green, the B.C.C.'s Agricultural Liaison Officer, has arrived in Northern Ireland to give a series of talks to farmers.

He has made a tour of the six counties, and has reached the following conclusions:

The quality of livestock is shocking and the milk yield deplorable.

More good dairy shorthorns and more good beef shorthorns are required; at present the two types are being mixed with evil results; store cattle are deteriorating in quality.

There has, he says, been an enormous increase in mechanisation, but farmers are not making full use of silage for the abundance of grass at their disposal. A much longer grazing season would be feasible if direct seeding were practised.

Northern Ireland's reputation for packing and grading of eggs stood high; pork and poultry also were good, while Northern Ireland seed potatoes held top place in the estimation of British farmers.

Petrol Wasted in Turf Haulage

According to lorry owners there is a great wastage of petrol in connection with turf haulage. Lorries which travel up to Dublin return empty, and, at the same time, quantities of goods are lying in the railway yards awaiting transport. This anomaly will become greater as the railways become increasingly busy with the haulage of the crops.

Representations have been made to the Government on this matter by various bodies during the past six months, but without success.

A further saving of petrol might be made by having petrol pumps within easy reach of the turf dumps. Lorry owners who keep their petrol at their own yards, sometimes four or five miles distant from the dumps, waste from one-half to one gallon of petrol in going to their yards to refuel.

Dingle Air Crash Letters

In the British House of Commons yesterday Captain Crookshank, Postmaster-General, told Mr. Hewlett (C., Manchester Exchange) that about 26,000 cards and letters from British prisoners of war in the Far East were destroyed and about 11,000 salvaged in the recent 'plane disaster in Ireland.

U.S. Prediction of Alien Influx

Unless the immigration laws are tightened, America will be placed in the "gravest jeopardy," according to the Federal Grand Jury, which, predicting an unprecedented influx of aliens, yesterday, in New York, recommended the adoption of a system of "selective immigration" to exclude all except those considered likely to contribute to the country's welfare."—(A.P.)

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WELLS-KELLY—September 9, 19 a private nursing home, Londo Eleanor, wife of Ernest Wells (formerly of 16 Oakley road) gift of a son.

MARRIAGES

HEGARTY and HARFORD—Sept 1, 1943, at University C Stephen's Green, Dublin (with N Mass), by the Rev. J. Hegarty, The Cathedral, Cork (brother bridegroom), James P., son of M Mrs. Timothy Hegarty, Buxton Sunday's Well, Cork, to Elli Mary (Elsie) Harford, Du daughter of the late Mr. and Richard Harford, Malahide, Co. D

PEACOCK and TODD—Septemb 1943, at Ormond Quay and Presbyterian Church, Dublin, by Rev. T. Byers, M.A., Albert F., yc son of Mrs. A. S. Peacock and late William J. Peacock, Belfa Mary Ethel, eldest daughter o William F. Todd and of the late Todd, Dublin.

DIAMOND WEDDING.

KEOGH and PLASTO—Septembe 1883, at Dublin, Patrick J Keogh to Mariaine Plasto, Eagl Strandville avenue, Clontarf.

DEATHS

BOYD—September 19, 1943, W Matthew, eldest son of Captain Mrs. R. J. Boyd, 146 Rathgar Dublin. Funeral (private). Aft o'clock Mass, from Rathgar C to-morrow (Tuesday). No fl R.I.P.

BUSHELL—September 16, 194 her residence, Carrickfergus, Elizabeth (elder daughter of th Samuel John Bushell. Inel Dublin. Funeral private.

CARR—September 18, 1943, a Ranelagh road, Margaret Anne surviving daughter of the late W and Margaret Carr, Dublin. I regretted. R.I.P. Funeral, aft o'clock Mass to-day (Mon Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmin Glasnevin.

CLOTHIER—September 17, 1943, R George Clothier, darling husbat Sophie Clothier and dearly-love of the late Joseph and Maria Ch of Inchicore. Funeral to-day) day), 20th September, from St. Church, Kilmainham, after Serv 10.30, arriving in Mount Jero 11.45. "Safe in the Arms of J

FENTON—September 16, 1943, Jane, widow of Samuel George F Seapatrick House, Banbridge, eldest daughter of the late W Laird Finlay, Belfast.

FORSYTH—At a private nursing Hannah Louisa, widow of the Thomas Forsyth, of Eaton s Terenure. Funeral private. No fl

GRIFFIN—September 19, 1943, Patricia, beloved wife of Jam Griffin, Rosetown House, Athg Co Kildare. Funeral private.

LOWE—September 19, 1943, at he dence, The Island, Ballyse Offaly, Mary, beloved wife of Edward Lowe. Funeral to Liss Ri Ground to-morrow (Tuesday), 2 (S.T.). Thy will be done."

LYONS—September 18, 1943, at rne Wentworth, Rebecca Teacher, Drumcree School, widt George Lyons.

McMAHON—September 16, 1943, residence, Milford, County Do James McMahon. Interred in M Barrying Ground.

MILNE—September 18, 1943, a residence, Kilmore Lodge, A Mary wife of the late George Deeply regretted by sorrowi family, brothers and grandchi Funeral to-day (Monday), 2 o'clo Coolock. "Abide with me."

MORRISON—September 17, 1943, Dublin hospital, John Morrison of 12 Eaton square, Monkstown Dublin. Funeral to-morrow (Tue arriving at Deansgrange Cer 2 p.m. "With Christ, which better."

MULCAHY—September 18, 194 St. Patrick's Home, Kilmai Dublin, Martin Mulkerns, lat G.S. Railways. Deeply regr R.I.P. Funeral private.

SHERIDAN—September 18, 1943, private nursing home, Dublin, Flo dearly-beloved wife of Michael She 5 Clyde road, Ballsbridge, Dubli of Navan; to the inexpressible of her sorrowing husband and ch R.I.P. Requiem Mass at St. J Church, Haddington road, (Monday), 11 o'clock. Fi immediately afterwards to Cemetery, Navan, arriving 1 o approximately.

STEWART—September 16, 1943 Looe, Cornwall, Alexander G Seward, son of the late H. L. Sc of Limerick. From illness contr in the Great War.

STOKES—September 19, 1943, a residence, Greig House, Carri Suir (after a prolonged ill Patrick Stokes. Remains wi removed to St. Nicholas' C Carrick-on-Suir, to-day (Monday 6.30 p.m. Funeral leaving Gambonsfield, Kilsheelan, to-m Tuesday, after Mass on arrival a.m. (new time), arriving Gan field 12.30 (new time).

STRAIN—September 16, 1943 suddenly at his residence, 24 Cr Park, Glasnevin, Dublin, Alex beloved husband of Kathleen S and eldest son of the late J Douglas Strain, of Cremore, Armagh. Funeral Service at Presbyterian Church, Parnell s to-morrow (Tuesday) at 10 leaving the church for Grange at 10.30. Friends wish send flowers, please leave a do instead to either Drumcondra Hc or Adelaide Hospital.

THOMPSON—September 18, 194 Bandoran, Mrs. Frances Thon late of Castlerea and Dublin. Fu to-morrow (Tuesday), after 11 o Mass, to Castlerea.

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IN MEMORIAM.

LATCHFORD—In loving remembr of our beloved father, Richar Latchford, called Home 20th Se ber, 1940. "Peace, perfect peac

MASON—In memory of our dearly sister, Bella, who fell September 20th, 1942, at 11 Fa road, Glasnevin, Dublin. "Away from the beautiful Hill of In that Valley of Peace eo f Some day, some time, when ou is done, We shall meet our loved one t —Inserted by her sisters and bro

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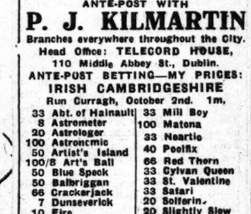

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Wind-up at Listowel

FAIR fields will be seen out on the concluding day at Listowel, and a really good race is in prospect for the North Kerry Hurdle, which may be won by Sun Bird, who may have most to fear from Never No More, should the latter go in this race instead of a later engagement. Selections:—

Abbeyfeale Plate—**Eagle's Home.**
North Kerry Plate—**Sun Bird.**
Killarney Plate—**Red Pine;** if absent, **Tennis Ball.**
Listowel Plate—**The Clip.**
Newcastlewest Plate—**Scant.**
Totalisator Plate—**Johnson.**
Island Plate—**Ballyvinter Boy.**
Curragh Selections:—2.0, Eagle's Home; 2.30, Duna; 3.0, Prescribed; 3.30, Hush Tommy; 4.0, Great Beauty; 4.30, Astronomic; 5.0, Gentleman John.

Tote double on 4th and 6th races.

Mr. W. Dwyer's Double

There was a huge attendance at Listowel for the opening day of the meeting. Followers of the money started busily when Glen of Hawthorn completely failed to realise expectations in the Castleisland Hurdle which Silver Fair won in comfortable style.

King of the Jungle had an easy victory in the County Plate, but there was plenty of excitement attached to the Poule Cup, as three of the runners—Bell Boy II., Border Knight, and Desmond Morgan—went the wrong course, and Brown Joker fell on the flat after passing the stands. The Cup was won by Nonna's Cottage after a good finish with Knight's Crest. Mr. Walter Dwyer followed up that success by piloting Kedra Cross to victory in the Limerick Plate.

2.0—CASTLEISLAND HURDLE. £50. 2m.

Silver Fair, b. m., by Last of the Dandies — Modest Study (Mr. J. F. Frost), 5, 11-5 ..... H. Harty 1
Ro- Pine, c. 11-5 ... Mr. W. Lombard 2
Laburnum, 4, 11-0 ..... R. Molony 3
Wollstand, 11-5 (M. McCarthy); Glen of Hawthorn, 11-4 (E. Kennedy). H. Hart).

1/o Glen of Hawthorn, 4/1 Laburnum, 7/1 Red Pine, 10/1 SILVER FAIR, 20/1 Wollstand. **Tote** — 38/-; places, 15/-, 16/-. 5, 11. Glen of Hawthorn 4.

2.30—COUNTY H'CAP. £100. 1¼m.
King of the Jungle, b. c., by Sir Walter Raleigh — Somnania (Mr. G. Ainscough), 3, 8-0 ... G. Cooney 1
Submarine, 5, 10-5 ..... H. Holmes 2
Galway Girl, 4, 8-10 ..... M. Gordon 3
Pallas Garter, 10-8 (E. Hannigan); Feiwin, 10-4 (C. Graham); Derk, 8-9 (G. Wells). W. O'Grady.

4/6 **KING OF** 2ilb. JUNGLE, 4/1 Derk and Submarine, 10/1 Feiwin and Galway Girl, 20/1 Pallas Garter. **Tote** —2/6; places, 2/6, 3/6. 3l.; 6l. Derk 4, Feiwin 3.

3.0—BALLYBUNION 'CHASE. £100. 2m.

Mount Brown, b. or br. g., by Brown Jester — Pillion Girl (Mrs. H. Harty), a, 12-4 ..... H. Harty 1
John B., 4, 9-13 ..... E. Hannigan 2
Broken Promise, a, 11-6 ... T. Hyde 3
Fancy Dress, 11-6 (J. Moore); Topaleen, 11-6 (W. O'Grady); Lexamine, 10-4 (R. O'Ryan); Morse Signal, 10-8 (E. Kennedy). Harty.

4/9 Broken Promise, 4/1 MOUNT BROWN, 10/1 Pantry, 100/8 John D. and others. **Tote** — 15/6; places, 7/6, 9/6. 4¼l.; 1¾l. Pantry 4, Morse signal 5.

3.30—FEALE CUP (chase), £50 added. 2½m.

Nonna's Cottage, b. g. by Cottage— Nonna (Mr. W. Dwyer), 6, 9-11 ..... E. Hannigan 1
Knight's Crest, 6, 10-12 ..... R. McCarthy 2
The Clip, 6, 9-11 ..... R. McCarthy 3
Bell Boy II., 13-4 (T. Hoey); Dreaper, a, 11-0
Border Knight, 7, 11-4 (C. Conlon); Border Knight, 10-9 (W. O'Grady). Desmond Morgan, 9-12 (P. Sherry); Gold Rainbow, 9-7 (R. O'Ryan); Brown Joker, 9-7 (E. Dempsey). Owner.

4/1 Knight's Crest, Bell Boy II. and The Clip; 5/1 NONNA'S COTTAGE and Gold Rainbow, 6, Border Knight, 7/1, Black Mask, 100/8 others. **Tote:** 20/-; places, 4/-, 4/-, 2/-. 1l.; 8l. Black Mask 4, Brown Joker 5. Border Knight and Desmond Morgan went wrong course.

4.0—LIMERICK PLATE, £50. 1m. 2f.
Kedra Cross, ch. g. by Grand Glacier — Star of Kildare (Mr. W. Dwyer), a, 11-7 ..... Owner 1
Dromineer, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. M. J. Tully 2
St. Nicholas, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. P. Sleator 3
Flying Wind, 11-7 (Mr. P. P. Hogan); Garryhinch, 11-7 (Mr. P. P. Hogan). Owner.

6/4 St. Nicholas, 2/1 Garryhinch, 3/1 KEDRA CROSS, 10/1 Dromineer, 20/1 Flying Wind. **Tote:** 7/-, places, 4/-, 5/-. 3l.; 7l. Flying Wind 4.

4.30—COMMITTEE PLATE, £100. 1m., 100 yds.
Calvados, b. g. by Apple Sammy— Rainbow (Mr. F. More O'Ferrall), 3, 8-7 ..... H. Holmes 1
Christian, 5, 8-11 ..... G. Cooney 2
Knockderg, 5, 8-12 ..... G. Wells 3
Thunderbolt, 9-4 (M. Cullinane); Kilmeedy, 9-6 (E. Kennedy). Honey Crust, 9-2 (R. O'Ryan); Sailor's Prestige, 9-2 (P. Conlon); Pallas Knight, 9-2 (E. Hannigan). R. More O'Ferrall.

Evens CALVADOS, 7/4 Knockderg, 5/1 Christian, 20/1 others. **Tote:** 4/-; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6. 2l.; 3l. Sailor's Prestige 4, Thunderbolt 5.

5.0—RATHKEALE HANDICAP, £100. 1 m. 2 f.
Bannerman, b. h. by Pomeronian—It's a Girl (Miss Paget), 5, 9-4 ..... G. Wells 1
Ballyvinter Boy, 3, 8-7 ..... H. Holmes 2
My Cherry, (T. K. Baker), Dreaper, 6, 11-6 3
1/2 BANNERMAN, 7/4 My Cherry, 10/1 Ballyvinter Boy. **Tote** 2/6; forecast, 25/-. 2½l.; 6l. Rogers.

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525 YDS.—Baldoyle Jubilee (6), 8/1, 1; Tall Dee (2), 10/11, 2; Lower Don (3), 4/1, 3; Orlick's Laddie (5), 10/1, 4; Southlands (1), 10/1, 5; Glen Boyo (4), 5/2, 6. NK.; ½l. 31.47. Owner (Mr. M. O'Brien).

360 YDS.—Derryvillane (1), 4/7, 1; Honest Ripple (3), 4/1, 2; Rebel Border (6), 5/1 3. Drumconnick Lad (4), 10/1, 4. Shi. Inn (5), 6. 20.90. Owner (Miss V. O'Donoghue).

550 YDS. CESAREWITCH—Heat 6—Gold Evening (4), 3/1, 1; Lady Margaret (6), 2/1, 2; Gopher (3), 100/7, 3; Miss Abbeylara (1), 7/1, 4; Rathatton Peg (2), 2/1, 5; Find the Bone (5), 33/1, 6. 6l. 31.73. Owner (Mr. A. J. Probert).

550 YDS.—Heat 7—Gorgeous (1), 5/2, 1; Jobel (4), 3/1, 2; Robeen Printer (6), 6/1, 3; Dierdre (2), 1/1, 4; Keen Midnight (5), 100/6, 5; Ruby Mantle (3), 33.1, 6. 1¼l.; 1½l. 32.10. Owner (Mr. A. F. Callanan).

550 YDS.—Lucky Liza (6), 3/1, 1; Dancing Matador (4), 3/1, 2; S. M. Mula (1), 5/1, 3; Clonker Playboy (2), 2/1, 4; Crosswood Swank (5), 4/1, 5; Spiral Grove (3), 5/1, 6. 2l.; 1l. 32.74. Owner (Mr. J. J. Sinnott).

525 YDS.—Fairy Heather (2), 1/1, 1; Cost Nothing, 4/1, 2; Goriavalla Joy (4) 7/2, 3; Jubilee Greetings (5), 4/1, 4; Question (1), 6/1, 5; Fancy Ledge (6), 8/1, 6. 2l.; 6l. 30.88. Owner (Mr. P. Fitzgerald).

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100 Yards—G. Brady (holder) (Blackrock) 1, V. Hinds (do.) 2, J. Murphy (C.B.S., Dun Laoghaire) 3. 64 secs.

Junior Championship (Presentation College, Glasthule) 1, D. Shanagher (C.B.S., Dun Laoghaire) 2, P. Kavanagh (Blackrock) 3. 33 4-5

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IRISH LADIES' GOLF UNION

The L.L.G.U. prizes will be played for at 51 Greenock, on 9th October. Ladies who intend to go for one day should notify, by post, Miss Nugent, 41 Cowper road, on or before 2nd October, so as to facilitate catering and travel arrangements.

Listowel Programme

2.0—ABBEYFEALE HURDLE, £100. 1¾ m.
313 **Laburnum** (P. T. Hartigan), Owner, 4, 11-0 **T. Molony**
403 **Eagle's Home** (Mrs. A. Hounihan), Hounihan, 4, 11-0 ..... **S. Graham**
000 **Garryhinch** (Miss M. McCutcheon), McCutcheon, a, 11-5 ..... **E. J. Kennedy**
233 **St. Nicholas** (C. J. O'Brien), H. Harty, 5, 10-9 ..... **H. Harty (Jun.)**

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Garryhinch, 5/2 Eagle's Home, 7/2 Laburnum, 5/1 St. Nicholas.

2.30—NORTH KERRY H'CAP HURDLE, £100. 2 m.
000 **Bell Boy II.** (J. F. Hoey), Dreaper, a, 12-7 ..... **Mr. J. Hoey**
031 **Kersey** (R. Sheehan), Creed, a, 12-5 ..... **O'Grady**
410 **Sun Bird** (W. H. Peter), H. Harty, 6, 12-2 ..... (——)
010 **Lexamine** (M. O'Hara), O'Rourke, 5, 12-0 **R. O'Ryan**
310 **Morse Signal** (P. Molony), Molony, a, 12-0 ..... **Mr. P. Molony**
111 **Mount Brown** (Mrs. Harty), H. Harty, a, 11-8 (——)
220 **Never No More** (J. Sutherland), Dreaper, a, 11-0 ..... **Dempsey**
000 **Duna** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 10-9 ..... **D. Moore**
200 **Dork** (Mrs. A. P. Harris), Holden, a, 10-7 ..... **Hyde**
100 **Desmond Morgan** (G. Carr Lett), Owner, a, 9-12 **Sherry**

H. Harty rides Sun Bird or Mount Brown.

BETTING FORECAST—5/2 Kersey and Never No More, 4/1 Sun Bird or Mount Brown, 6/1 Dork, 8/1 Morse Signal, 10/1 others.

3.0—KILLARNEY 'CHASE. 2 m.
300 **Tennis Ball** (P. P. Hogan), J. P. Hogan, a, 11-11 ..... **Mr. P. P. Hogan**
052 **Red Pine** (J. Lombard), Owner, 6, 11-11 ..... **Mr. W. Lombard**
41 **Prescribed** (P. Sheehan), Owner, a, 11-11 **T. Molony**

BETTING FORECAST—4/5 Prescribed, 5/4 Red Pine, 4/1 Tennis Ball.

3.30—LISTOWEL H'CAP 'CHASE, £100. 3 m.
000 **Bell Boy II.** (J. F. Hoey), Dreaper, a, 12-4 ..... (——)
033 **My Cherry** (T. K. Baker), Dreaper, 6, 11-6 ..... (——)
440 **Black Mask** (W. Purcell), Owner, a, 11-0 ..... **Gordon**
332 **Knight's Crest** (Mrs. W. Molony), Henneberry, 6, 10-10 ..... **Mr. W. Molony**
221 **Nonna's Cottage** (W. Dwyer), Owner, 6, 10-9 ..... **E. Hannigan**
003 **The Clip** (J. M. O'Brien), Owner, 6, 9-12 ... **McCarthy**
040 **Dan Kelly** (Mrs. G. A. Harris), Grimm, a, 9-11 ..... **Kennedy**
040 **Hush Tommy** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 9-8 **O'Ryan**
000 **Brown Joker** (G. Carr Lett), Owner, a, 9-7 ... **Sherry**
400 **Shannon Scheme** (J. J. Walsh), O'Grady, a, 9-7 ..... **Cahalin**

T. Hyde rides Bell Boy II. or Mr. Cherry.

BETTING FORECAST—3/1 My Cherry, Hush Tommy and Nonna's Cottage, 5/1 Knight's Crest and Black Mask, 8/1 Shannon Scheme, 10/1 others.

4.0—NEWCASTLE PLATE, £100. 2 m.
Jack Beacon (John Brennan), Private, 5 11-0 ..... **Mr. W. Treacy**
000 **Flying Fortress** (V. Hartigan), Owner, 4, 11-0 ..... **Mr. P. P. Hogan**
0 **Coal Queen** (Denis Kelly), T. Hyde, 6, 11-0 ..... **Mr. P. Sleator**
000 **More or Less** (C. MacDonald), Owner, 4, 11-0 ..... **Mr. W. Lombard**
Jurisprudence (T. G. O'Brien), Private, a, 11-0 ..... **Mr. M. J. Mitchell**
00 **Consolidate** (E. Sheehan), Owner, 4, 11-0 ..... **Mr. P. J. Lane**
Chinese Pirate (E. Vaughan), Owner, a, 11-0 (——)
0 **Scart** (J. A. Walsh), Owner, 4, 11-0 **Mr. P. J. Lenehan**
40 **Greek Beauty** (B. Shell Walshe), Keating, a, 11-0 ..... **Mr. P. Anglim**

BETTING FORECAST—2/1 Coal Queen and Flying Fortress, 9/2 Scart, 6/1 More or Less, 100/12 others.

4.30—TOTALISATOR HANDICAP, £50. 1 m. 100yds.
000 **Darling Cora** (M. O'Connor) Owner, 3, 10-12 **C. Graham**
00 **Pallas Knight** (E. Vaughan), Owner, 3, 10-12 ..... **J. J. Power.**
033 **My Cherry** (T. K. H. Baker), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 9-6 ..... **C. Sleator**
003 **Astronomic** (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 3, 9-0 **G. Wells**
342 **Johnson** (J. Steen), T. Nugent, 5, 8-10 **T. P. Burns**
003 **Galway Girl** (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 4, 8-7 **E. Cooney**
000 **First Violin** (Mrs. J. Flynn), Lenehan, 3, 8-7 ..... **D. Donnelly**

BETTING FORECAST—9/4 Astronomic, 3/1 My Cherry, 5/1 Johnson, 7/1 Galway Girl, 100/12 others.

5.0—ISLAND PLATE, £50. 1¾ m.
120 **Never No More** (J. F. Sutherland), T. W. Dreaper, a, 9-3 ..... **C. Sleator**
0 **Thunderbolt** (M. J. Browne), Owner, 4, 8-10 ..... **C. Graham**
30 **Killea** (Captain G. Megaw), Fennell, 5, 8-10 .....
000 **Magic Bubble** (P. Purcell), Kirwan, 6, 8-10 **P. Farrell**
000 **Money Crust** (E. A. Rice), Owner, 6, 8-10 ... **R. Rice**
000 **Drominer** (P. P. Sweeney), Owner, 6, 8-10 **P. Gomez**
0 **Pallas Garter** (E. Vaughan), Owner, 4, 8-10 ..... **J. J. Power**
Gentleman John (Mrs. A. H. Watt), W. T. O'Grady, 4, 8-10 ..... **H. Holmes**
002 **Ballyvinter Boy** (Lt.-Col. A. Knowles), Creed, 3, 8-6 ..... **G. Cooney**

BETTING FORECAST — 7/4 Ballyvinter Boy, 5/2 Never No More, 9/2 Gentleman John, 7/1 Magic Bubble, 100/12 others.

Teams for Opening Rugby Matches

BY OUR RUGBY FOOTBALL CORRESPONDENT

THE Leinster Rugby season opens next Saturday with a programme of five matches, all the teams being engaged except the two Universities and Curragh Command. At this stage team changes are the principal source of interest, but Dublin players drop out of the public eye by slow degrees, so anything in the nature of "sensational" news is absent from a first glance over the sides selected for next Saturday.

To start with the Cup winners for the last four years, Old Belvedere, the only men who are unlikely to be seen out this season are S. Henry and J. A. Byrne. Henry, last year's captain and Leinster interprovincial hooker, has been ill during the summer and may retire from the game. An extremely skilful hooker, but by no means a specialist, Henry will be missed; but in J. Belton Old Belvedere have a front-row forward who knows something about the difficult job of securing the ball from the set scrums.

Frank and Kevin Quinn will not be in action for three or four weeks, but they will be in their usual positions in the back division for the greater part of the season. Mr. Cahill also will be available shortly but, in the absence of Byrne, the scrum-half position may cause some trouble. J. Nugent, who has occasionally figured there in the past will be in action on Saturday, but, if he fails to reach expectations, it is quite on the cards that Thorpe will be moved up from full-back to a post which he also has filled on the Leinster team. There are very useful deputies at full-back in McMahon and Keogh.

In fact Old Belvedere will be quite well equipped in reserve strength, for a promising centre, E. Dixon, who has had considerable senior experience with University College has joined, and T. Murphy, a forward who has won a couple of Cup medals, is returning to town after a couple of seasons' absence. I. O'Connor, the out-half on Saturday, was a member of the 2nd XV and has recently returned from England. The new front-row forward, K. Murphy, had one game on the senior team last season.

NEW SECTIVE CENTRE.

Bective Rangers, who meet Old Belvedere in their opening engagement, will be without K. Doyle on the wing, but he will be out later on, and, in the meantime, C. Walsh comes up from the 2nd team to fill the left-wing position. A new centre from the South, K. Barry, will be given a trial in this game, but otherwise the personnel will be as last season.

An attractive match at Lansdowne road should be Wanderers and St. Mary's. Contrary to rumour, A. B. Robertson will be filling his accustomed post in the centre for the home team, while it will have W. F. Reid, from the 2nd, in C. Fox's place at scrum-half. An already strong pack will be strengthened by the return of W. McManaway from Belfast. St. Mary's will be almost exactly as last season, when they had a very compact and efficient side; on Saturday G. Norton will take his brother's place at full-back.

Clontarf have chosen precisely the same XV as that which played against Old Belvedere in the Cup last March for their game against Old Wesley at Castle Avenue, but the visitors will be without F. L. Wolfe, temporarily and his place at scrum-half will be taken by A. Dumbleton. L. C. Jacobson, the former Trinity hooker, will be in readiness for when he turns out. R. Wright and R. Christie are newcomers in the pack.

GUINNESS PRESENTATION.

Lansdowne have taken the unusual step of bringing up a centre-three-quarter from the 3rd XV., A. O'Carroll, for their opening fixture against Monkstown at Sydney parade. M. O'Flanagan has apparently decided on Rugby instead of soccer on Saturday afternoons, and to fill P. J. Hanrahan's place on the left wing, Callan, a schools' interprovincial two seasons ago with Castleknock, is being given a trial.

After their poor record last season, Blackrock College have hopes of doing better this time, for their most dangerous back, T. Chamberlain, who was kept idle up to last Christmas, will be available this time from the start. J. Buckley, who has been on the University College, Cork, team for a couple of years, may add some badly-needed pep in the centre, and L. O'Brien, who had most of his Rugby with U.C.C. a year ago, is expected to be out regularly with Blackrock from now onwards. Palmerston are the visitors to Williamstown on Saturday.

TEAMS.

Old Belvedere—I. Thorpe; B. Quinn, G. Quinn, D. O'Connor, E. O'Byrne; I. O'Connor, J. Nugent; M. O'Neill, J. Belton, K. Murphy, P. O'Sullivan, S. Hensel, J. O'Dwyer, V. Aird, T. Kennedy.

Bective Rangers—W. Duggan; H. Cruise, J. Cregan, K. Barry, C. Walsh; A. Coleman, D. O'Driscoll; M. J. Greene, B. O'Brien, D. O'Neill, E. Lysaght, R. O'Keeffe, K. O'Brien, J. Guiney, J. Doyle. Wanderers—F. Shafter; N. B. Taylor, S. McCollum, A. Robertson, R. Myles; J. Collins, W. F. Reid; C. R. Graves, W. Deane, J. B. Hamilton, W. McManaway, L. N. Horan, B

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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THEATRE DE LUXE. JACK BENNY, ROCHESTER. "MEANEST MAN IN THE WORLD." 4.55, 7.2, 9.29. Lois Andrews, "DIXIE DUGAN." 5.5, 5.32, 7.59.

CORINTHIAN To-day at 2.20, 4.45, 7.6, 9.29. DICK FORAN: "HI, BUDDY." Johnny McBrown and Tex Ritter. "DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS."

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE Cont. from 3.15 p.m. Edward G. Robinson, Jane Wyman in "LARCENY, INC." Also Franchot Tone, Rita Johnson in "THE GIRL DOWNSTAIRS."

GREEN 3.30, 6.20, 9.0. GABLE, TONE, CRAWFORD, "LOVE ON THE RUN." Also "COUNTRY FAIR." FRIDAY: Bob Montgomery, Carole Lombard, "MR. AND MRS. SMITH."

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

WAGES TRIBUNAL.

BUILDING TRADE—KILLINA. An Advisory Tribunal established under the Emergency Powers (No. 260) Order, 1943, will sit in the Employment Exchange, Thomas street, Sligo, on Wednesday, 29th September, 1943, at 3 p.m. to consider an application for WAGES (Standard Rate) and BONUS ORDERS applicable to CARPENTERS—JOINERS—CABINET MAKERS (excluding any of the said classes of workers employed in the Saw Milling Industry, in the Urban District of Ballina, to whom the terms of Emergency Powers (No. 260) Order, 1943, apply, employed in the BUILDING TRADE in the area included within a ten-mile radius circle radiating from the principal Post Office in BALLINA, County Mayo but excluding any portion of the County Sligo lying within such area.

Interested parties are invited to attend and submit evidence.

Department of Industry and Commerce, Kildare street, Dublin. (Phone No.: 64371-142). W.H.Co. C 7502.

WAGES TRIBUNAL.

PACKING-CASE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY—DUBLIN.

An Advisory Tribunal established under Emergency Powers (No. 260) Order, 1943, will sit in the Department of Industry and Commerce, Kildare street, Dublin, on Monday, 27th September, 1943, at 11.0 a.m. to consider an application for a Bonus Order applicable to—workers employed at Hand Benches—Feed Benches—and as Machinists—in the PACKING-CASE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY in the area of the County Borough of DUBLIN.

Interested parties are invited to attend and submit evidence.

Department of Industry and Commerce. C 7502. W.H.Co.

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VACANCIES FOR ASSISTANT PREVENTIVE OFFICERS. The Civil Service Commissioners will conduct an Open Competitive Examination, beginning on 27th October, 1943, for not less than seven situations as Assistant Preventive Officer (Male), consisting of a written examination (Standard VII., Primary Schools) and a test in Oral Irish, and an interview for the candidates who qualify in the written examination.

AGE LIMITS—19-22 years on 1st October, 1943.

LATEST DAY FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS FOR ADMISSION—1st October, 1943, up to 5.15 p.m.

Application Forms, Regulations and Syllabus are obtainable free from An Runai, Coimisiun na Stat-Sheirbhise, 45 Sraid Uach, O Conaill, Baile Atha Cliath. C 7483. W.H.Co.

COIMISIUN NA STAT-SHEIRBHISE. **VACANCIES FOR SORTING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE) & TELEPHONE PROBATIONERS (FEMALE).** An Open Competitive Examination will begin on 26th October, 1943, for 9 situations as Sorting Assistant (Female) in the Department of Posts and Telegraphs; and for 2 situations as Telephone Probationer (Female) in the Department of Posts and Telegraphs at Cork, 8 at Dublin, 1 at Dundalk, 1 at Ennis, 1 at Galway, 1 at Limerick, 1 at Portlaoighise, 1 at Sligo, 1 at Tralee, and 1 at Waterford.

AGE LIMITS—16-18 years on 1st October, 1943.

STANDARD OF EXAMINATION—Standard VII. in Primary Schools.

LATEST TIME FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS—5.15 p.m. on Friday, 1st October, 1943.

Regulations, Syllabus and Application Form may be obtained free of charge from An Runai, Coimisiun na Stat-Sheirbhise, 45 Sraid Uach, O Conaill, Baile Atha Cliath.

The Question Papers of the October, 1942, Examination may be bought from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3 College Street, Dublin, price 1s (postage 1½d. extra). C 7483. W.H.Co.

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The Irish Times

THURSDAY, SEPT. 23, 1943.

Fianna Fail

The annual Ard-Fheis, or General Convention, of the Fianna Fail Party is an institution worthy of respect. Its programme includes a selection from some hundreds of motions which have been submitted by the party's clubs in every part of the twenty-six counties, and represents as interesting and thorough a cross-cut of public opinion as the letters in the *Evening Mail*. For next Tuesday's Convention 95 resolutions have been chosen out of a total of some 500. They range from the important and thoughtful to the mean and parochial. Various clubs can produce nothing better than a demand for more and bigger pensions. There is a demand for the official recognition of "The Soldier's Song" as the National Anthem, and for its compulsory performance after theatre and cinema programmes—as if the custom were not wellnigh universal. One club wants a ban on British coins; another desires to see the study of the Constitution added to the already over-loaded curriculum of the schools; a third seeks revenge on the National University's cavalier treatment of the Irish language; while another calls for the removal of public stutues offensive to national sentiment and the reduction of Ministers' salaries. Yet we must admit that, side by side with this welter of illiberal and undignified motions, there exist many which indicate that the Fianna Fail Party is acquiring a breadth of vision with which we have not been ready to credit it at all times. There is, for example, a demand for the establishment of certain new Ministries—including a Ministry of Health. One Limerick club calls for a more rigid system of price control, while the rationing of all essential commodities in short supply is urged from Dun Laoghaire. Celbridge would have a Draining Bill; another Limerick club not merely declares itself against the growth of a monopoly in road transport, but also seeks a permanent system of parish councils. No great credit is due to the *cumann* that finds fault with the present means of election to the Senate, but that which urges the necessity of a post-war plan for social reconstruction and employment certainly is deserving of all praise.

Let us repeat that on the whole this programme indicates some lingering vitality in the Fianna Fail Party. It reveals that there are men in the organisation who are willing to think for themselves, and are reluctant to follow their leaders without question. The tragedy is that the spirit of dissatisfaction—call it what we will!—which is revealed in the motion before the Ard-Fheis finds no counterpart within the walls of Leinster House. The delegate to the Ard-Fheis has courage and liberty to say what is in his mind; the Fianna Fail T.D. possesses, or seems to possess, neither. He is a voting engine, without will or conscience of his own, an automaton that moves only when its master touches the switch. That is the first and obvious comment upon the Fianna Fail Party: its thoughts can rise to such a height, but no farther. It can express itself once a year, but its opinions count for nothing: they cannot be translated into action once its delegates have become deputies. The second comment is that those subjects which must weigh beyond all others upon the mind of every patriotic Irishman are taboo to the party. Its programme for next Tuesday shows that the party dares, directly or by inference, to protest against various conditions of life in Ireland; but no word is said about the major evils of our time. There is no protest, for example, against the dangerous growth—not so much in numbers as in power—of the Civil Service. There is no protest against the quiet and pernicious encroachment of legislation by decree, based on the vague, but terribly comprehensive, Emergency Powers that were granted to the Government four years ago without any stipulation by the Fianna Fail Party as to the use that could be made of these nebulous instruments. No word is spoken concerning the diminishing power of the Dail, or about the fact that it sits less and less frequently nowadays.

The Russian Front

Along a front of nine hundred miles—three times the length of Ireland—the Russians are continuing their great offensive. They seem to have three main objectives. In the far south they are moving towards Dnepropetrovsk, the great industrial city on the Dnieper, where they wrecked the famous dam two years ago; in the centre they are attacking Kiev, one of Russia's most historic cities, and a road, rail, and river junction of prime importance; and towards the north they are advancing towards Smolensk, on the railway line between Moscow and Brest-Litowsk, a city which figured largely in the history of Napoleon's Russian campaign. Yesterday the Soviet forces were reported to have captured no fewer than 1,000 inhabited places. Their advance columns are stated to be already within sight of Kiev; Roslavl, key to Minsk, and eventually to Brest-Litowsk, is in "imminent danger"; and Russian troops apparently are within about twenty miles of Dnepropetrovsk. Probably, the most important of these three objectives is Smolensk, although for sentimental, as well as for strategic reasons, the capture of Kiev would give a great fillip to Russian prestige. In the Smolensk area the Russian generals are reported to be operating a pincers movement, the most daring since the counter-offensive at Stalingrad; and there can be little doubt that they are taking the fullest advantage of the opportunities to accelerate the German retreat. The front is virtually stagnant between Leningrad and Vitebsk; but from the Dvina to the Sea of Azov fighting is continuous. Even in the Kuban area the Russians are active. The German front in this sector has been reduced to a length of less than twenty-six miles, and the bridge-head which was established at Novorossisk last year seems to be in immediate danger. Unless something like a miracle happens during the next week or so—and apparent miracles have happened more than once in the course of the present war—the Germans will be forced back to the Dnieper line before the onset of winter. Within the next few weeks the rains will make the Russian roads almost impassable. Doubtless, the German High Command has laid its plans in advance, and has prepared defensive positions along the Dnieper which will enable its armies to go into reasonably comfortable winter quarters; but it must be remembered that during the last two winters the Russians have managed to defy climatic conditions and have done much of their most remarkable offensive work when, according to the military text books, campaigning was impossible. In these circumstances, the immediate future in Russia is unpredictable. The military initiative seems to have passed definitely into Russian hands. Furthermore, Herr Hitler's generals are faced with the additional complication of another front on the European mainland; and Mr. Winston Churchill hinted broadly on Tuesday that yet another front may be established in the near future. It will be the fifth winter of the European war, and the third of the Russian campaign. Germany still is tremendously strong; but her armies, in spite of their spectacular successes, have been exposed to almost incredible hardships. At the moment it is quite impossible to assess the losses that have been sustained by the opposing forces in Russia. Both sides have been prodigal in their expenditure of men and material; both sides have paid a heavy price for their victories. The Russians are facing another winter with depleted resources, no doubt, but also with the encouragement that has been given to them by the course of events since the relief of Stalingrad. The Germans, on the other hand, still occupy vast expanses of Russian territory, and their powerful armies still are intact; but their flank is being threatened by the growing might of the Anglo-American Allies, only a fraction of whose forces hitherto has been deployed in Italy.

THE Countess of Donoghmore has arrived from Knocklofty, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, and is staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Lady Inchiquin has returned to Dromoland, Co. Clare, from Dublin.

Sir Standish Roche, who arrived in Dublin this week, has left for Co. Carlow.

Mrs. McCall has arrived in Dublin from Ennel Lodge, Mullingar.

Mrs. Eustace Duckett, who spent a few days in Dublin this week, has returned to Tullow, Co. Carlow.

Earl Bathurst died at Cirencester Park, Glos., last night, aged 79.

Lady Parker has returned to England from the West of Ireland.

Mrs. Humphries will leave the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, to spend a few weeks at Dun Laoghaire.

Mr. T. F. McKeever has returned to Allandale, Clonsilla, for a short period from Northern Ireland.

Mrs. Richard Connell is staying at Sybil Hill with her father, the Hon. Bishop B. J. Plunket.

Mrs. Wilson is in Armagh with her parents, His Grace the Primate and Mrs. Gregg.

BOOTH—BEHR. The engagement is announced between the Rev. Alan R. Booth, LL.B., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Booth, Argyle road, Dublin, and Irmgard P. B. Behr, second daughter of the late Dr. Behr and Mrs. M. Behr.

The engagement is announced between Dr. Edward Digby Murphy, second eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Murphy, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, to Aileen, only child of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Meagher, Blackrock, Cork.

The engagement is announced of Edward J. Ryan, solicitor, eldest son of Mrs. Ryan and the late James J. Ryan, LL.D., Innisfail, Thurles, and Kathleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burke, Munster and Leinster Bank Ho., Longford. The marriage will take place at the end of October.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place on Oct. 2nd, 1943, between W. R. C. Matterson and Lillias M. Birmingham, of Woodville, Langley road, Prestwich.

The engagement is announced between David Nelson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rowe, Richmond, Wexford, and Faith Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Telford, 12 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin.

Dr. K. Malley has returned to 57 Merrion square.

Dr. James N. Meenan has returned to 28 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Honor Purser has returned to 18 Fitzwilliam place.

Mr. James Smith has returned to 62 Lower Mount street.

The Dancing Season starts with the annual Dance of the Wireless Dealers' Association Benevolent Fund, which will be held on Friday next (9—2), in the Metropole Ballroom. A limited number of tickets are still available, and can be obtained from Messrs. Pigott, 112 Grafton street, or from Messrs. May and Son, 130 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Switzers are showing attractive Shoes for Autumn, with the new hinged Wood Soles, at 35/- per pair; also a variety of smart styles in Blue and Brown flat-heel Suedes, from 25/9 per pair (6 coupons).

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NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS. In the Goods of WOOLF (otherwise Wolf) BAIGEL, late of 11 Wolseley street, South Circular road, Dolphin's Barn, in the City of Dublin. Property Owner.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that the said Woolf (otherwise Wolf) Baigel, who died on the 18th May, 1942, by his Will dated the 10th October, 1939, left the following Charitable Bequests, viz.:—

The sum of £100 Os. Od. to the Dublin Talmud Torah for investment for prizes.

The sum of £100 Os. Od. to the Dublin Jewish Board of Guardians for investment.

The sum of £50 Os. Od. to the United Hebrew Congregation for the purpose of having his name and his late wife's name inscribed on the Synagogue Memorial Tablet, and Testator required that the anniversary of his death be observed.

The sum of £25 Os. Od. to the Dublin Jewish Loan Fund.

The sum of £20 Os. Od. to the Dublin Jewish Burial Society for the purpose of having his name and his late wife's name inscribed on the Memorial Tablet.

The sum of £25 Os. Od. to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul for the Poor of Dublin.

The sum of £10 Os. Od. to the Dublin Jewish Ladies' Society.

Testator directed his Executors to keep in order his Books (Sepherim) and gave same to the United Hebrew Congregation (except those which his Brothers Philip and Solomon wish to keep for their own use or for the use of their children).

Subject thereto and to certain Pecuniary and Specific Bequests, the Testator directed that the residue of his property should be realised and gave devised and Bequeathed the proceeds as to one-half thereof as follows:—

To his executors to invest at their discretion in the names of his Executors in or upon any of the investments authorised by law in trust to pay the Income thereof to the Dublin Talmud Torah the Dublin Jewish Board of Guardians and the Dublin Jewish Ladies' Society in equal shares.

Probate of the said Will was on the 30th day of July, 1943, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, to Philip Baigel, of 17 Bloomfield avenue, South Circular road, Dublin, Furniture Manufacturer; Solomon Baigel, of 32 Longwood avenue, South Circular road, Furniture Manufacturer; Reuben Segal, of 31 Dufferin avenue, Dolphin's Barn, Dublin, Manufacturing Jeweller, and Lionel Lapedus, of 57 Dame street, Dublin, Solicitor, the Executors named in the said Will.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1943.

LIONEL LAPEDUS, LL.B., Solicitor, 57 Dame street, Dublin.

The Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, 128 Lower Baggot street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS. ELIZABETH (otherwise Bessie) SHORE, of 7 Clarinda Park, West, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named Elizabeth (otherwise Bessie) Shore, by her Will dated 22nd November, 1938, bequeathed the residue of her estate and property of every kind and description in equal shares between:—

(a) The Trustees for the time being of the Adelaide Hospital Dublin, for the general purposes of the hospital;

(b) The Trustees for the time being of the United Kingdom Beneficent Fund for the charitable purposes of the Fund; and

(c) The Trustees for the time being of Miss Carr's Home for Little Children at 5 Northbrook road, Dublin, for the charitable purposes of the Home.

The Testatrix appointed Marian E. Shore, of Glenavon, Ruahbrooke, Cobh, County Cork, Spinster and Patrick C. L. Halpenny, of 96 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin, Solicitor, Executors of said Will.

The Testatrix died on the 8th day of August, 1943, and Probate of said Will was granted to said Executors forth of the Principal Registry at Dublin on the 16th day of September, 1943.

Dated the 20th day of September, 1943.

P. C. L. HALPENNY, LL.B., Solicitor for Executors, 96 Upper George's Street, Dun Laoghaire.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and to all whom it may concern.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10, Matins. 4, Evensong.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45 Matins. 3, Evensong.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson street.—11.30, H.C.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8.30, H.C. 9.45, Intercession.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8 p.m., Intercession Service.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	7.11	7.12
Sets	7.24	7.21
Lighting-up Time	8.24	8.21

THE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY

IN the course of his sermon at the consecration of the Bishop of Killaloe at Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, last Tuesday, Canon E. H. F. Campbell, M.A., recalled how the Christian Ministry gradually had developed. He said that the source of that service lay in great antiquity, bringing them back to New Testament times, for very early they found bishops in the Church of God. Many instances could be given to show how very strong were the foundations for the belief that the bishops were the successors of the apostles, with all the powers of the apostles to govern the Church in accordance with the divine law.

It was clear that up to the Reformation episcopacy was part of the Christian Ministry, and, in the Providence of God, it was possible for the Anglican Communion, of which the Church of Ireland was a part, to continue and present in the sixteenth century that form as part of her ministry.

Different Systems

The idea was current in their sister Church of England that there was something greviously wrong with her system of appointing bishops. The English bishop was, in the first instance, nominated by the Prime Minister, and the Chapter of his cathedral elected on the recommendation of the Crown. There was little precedent for that method in the order of the primitive Church, nor was there anything more of precedent in the system of the Roman Catholic Church, where the Pope in Rome appointed all bishops.

The Church of Ireland, together with some other branches of the Church Catholic, followed the custom of the early Church in electing their bishops at synods composed of clergy and laity, finally to be approved by the House of Bishops. It was a method not only true to the spirit of primitive order, but to the principles of the New Testament. The laity had a scriptural right to a voice in the Councils of the Church, and especially in the selection of their chief pastors.

METHODISM IN RATHMINES

"The curious name 'Neptune' was given to him because he was born at sea," states the Rev. R. Lee-Cole, M.A., B.D., concerning the Rev. Thomas Trevor Neptune Hull, in "Methodism in Rathmines," which he has written in connection with the jubilee of Charleston Road Methodist Church—1893 to 1943.

This publication gives the history of the first, second and third Methodist churches in the district. The Rev. T. T. Neptune Hull was the second minister of the second church.

The earliest chapel in Rathmines, built in 1801 at the Ranelagh end of Oakley road, was such a poor, small building that when it was sold it fetched only £25.

When Charleston road was opened up a site was taken nearer Rathmines (1854), and a new and handsome stone-built church was erected at a cost of £1,650 to seat 200 worshippers. Before many years it also was found to be too small, and a further church was planned for the new suburb of Rathgar, to which a considerable section of the Rathmines congregation was transferred.

The opening of the Brighton Road Church for a time relieved the pressure, but the growth of the neighbourhood and the further increase of the Rathmines congregation demanded a larger building, and in 1892-93 the present church was erected, and was dedicated on January 6th, 1893.

"SWEATED LABOUR"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—The article in your issue of the 22nd inst. under the above title has been brought to the attention of my Council.

I am requested to point out that, from the investigations and knowledge of my Council, the allegations as to payment of law clerks in Dublin are, generally speaking, without foundation; that the examples given by you are isolated instances, and that your general statements as to salaries paid are inaccurate.

As to managing clerks, many of them are paid substantial salaries, out of which some of them have been able to qualify either themselves or their sons as solicitors.

As to court clerks and typists, it is the experience of my Council that they are much better paid, work in much better conditions, and have shorter hours than similar classes of employees in commercial offices; and typists, in general, are anxious to obtain employment in solicitors' offices in preference to commercial offices.

Dublin solicitors are not "against any action for the union of the clerks." There is, in fact, an organisation of law clerks already in existence, founded upwards of 40 years ago.

May I also point out that legal business in Dublin has declined considerably owing to emergency conditions, and, consequently, in many cases, solicitors' offices are now over-staffed, although solicitors' incomes, in general, have greatly declined?

My Council consider that the salaries and conditions of employment in solicitors' offices compare favourably with the salaries and conditions obtaining in commercial enterprises in the city, not excluding newspapers; and that, in justice to Dublin solicitors, your journal should first have made a full inquiry into all the relevant facts, including the present average income of solicitors, before making an unwarranted and unfounded attack on them as a whole.—Yours, etc.,

BRENDAN T. WALSH, Hon. Sec. The Dublin Solicitors' Bar Association, 4-5 Trinity street, Dublin. September 22nd, 1943.

IRISH WILLS

Mrs. Katherine Helena Pollock (widow), 37 Oakley road, Ranelagh, Dublin — £10,283 (Eire); James Arthur Syme (builder and contractor), Isolde, Chapelizod—£5,438 (Eire); Thomas Ellis (retired sea captain), Holmpatrick street, Skerries—£3,997 (Eire); Mrs. Mary Barnsley Exshaw (widow), Killygoan, Monaghan — £2,412 (Eire); John Furlong, 74 Seafield road, Clontarf—£1,472 (Eire).

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	8.12	9.24
Evening	8.40	9.45

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen

DÓ sáilfáidte a anam a léitheoir.

Bioth fhios an méide seo agat cheana féin ar scéala—nach scríptar le Gaoidhilgh an ghiangh aoidhilic mhínbhriathrach so a scríobhtar linne ná fós lag-aithris uirri toisc nach acfuinneach na Gaedhela sin dochum a leitheid do chur i gcrích acht gaoighilig bhriste na dtúta aca ina mbéalabh, truagh an díol. Bioth a fhios dúinn féin eile agaibh, a liquor ionmhainn .i. nach oilte chum léigheann agus gaoidhilg mbaith do sholáthar do gall-ghaedhilaibh an drong so i gcóin i gConnachtaibh nó i gCiarraí na sreabh ná fós i nDún na nGall na dtulach ngorm óir ní bréag í ná ní leithbhréig gur daoine ainbhfiosacha iad, ceithearnaigh aineolacha nach dual urraim dóibh agus tuilleadh eile, nílid uaisle Gaoidheal beo in Eirinn inú ná aos éigse, aos ceuil et múisice, agus tá ceithre céad de bhliantaibh ann ó mhair file sa tír seo, mairg an díol.

Agus dar linn fein, nior gabhadh an dea-ghaoidhilig mháthardha le h-easonóir et le h-urchóid mharbhthaigh go dtí gur cuireadh anáirde maille le h-urraim & onóir an *naytiv spaker*, óir ní i seilbh an duine sin ná i seilbh a bhean cumainn atá ceart agus beacht-órd na Gailge acht i seilbh ár samhailtne, i. Melius; an tí seo ag a bhfuil eirim et éigse et taithigh ar seinleabhraibh, agus tabhairt-suas onórach apud doctores na heaglaisi. Agus gidh mór ar chailleamar idir maoin saolta agus sláinti le linn dúinn bheith ag neartú agus ag daingniú an teanga éireannaigh at a toim phren it wass nayther prafitibul nur popelar. ní h-eol dúinn gur dhíol lucht stáisheirbhíse linn an roinn beo airgid atá tuillte againn as aicht bheith ag meigeallaigh na Gaoidhilice, leath-phúnt i n-aghaidh ráithe nó dhá phúnt go h-iomlán sa bhliain amhail íoctar go fonnmhar le aos tútachais insan iarthar tíre, éagcóireach an scéala. Agus bíoth a dheimhin agaibh, a léiththeoir, nach gaoidhilig a labhraid súd acht pléaseáin bastha beoil-thirme anaithnid, canamhain nár cleachtuíodh le gaoilibh uaisle an tan beo dóibh acht a fuarthas ó Fomóraigh agus pether-the-packers gur loc breithe dóibh an choigcríoch, andaoine dolba nár annsa leo an chóir acht a tháinic i dtír dochum creiche do dhéanamh .i. fir lochlann, drong gabhála na Heireann.

Tuille beag eile, a liquor ró-ionnmhainn et a charaid bhuain, níl éinneach ar an tsluagh dar comhainm Connra na Gaoilice eolach sa teanga éireannach ná i ngnás ár sinnsire agus is cúis scige linn an fhuireann sin go h-iomlán, iad oilte dar leo féin inas teanga gaoighilige acht farióraar gan aca go h-uile acht canamhain na mbodach maille le ranna suaracha a cumadh le sráidéigse agus scológa fiadháine mar atá T. Rua O Súilleabháin, Pierce MagGearailt agus aroile bobaráin mí-ondracha.

Ut dixit Melios an laoi-se:

A dhuine ghabhas chughainn i leith
Meine Geduld ist nun zu Ende,
Ní biadh sonas ar shliocht Ir
An fhaid a thig gaoidhilic aniar.

Exit go deiróil déarach, Melius ag égcaoine na ngaedheal nach maireann acht bodaigh agus cléirínf anáirde i bhfaitheas Eireann iniu, agus aos gaimbín os a gcionn. A Cheann Córa, cáigh Brian?

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

1.0-1.40—Radio Eireann Orchestra. 1.40-1.45—News and Stock Exchange. 1.45-2.30—Lunch Time Concert (records). 5.0—Radio Eireann Orchestra. 5.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"For the Housekeeper," featuring Special Requests and Fancy Rug Making. 7.35—"Na Rabhcanaidhthe." 8.5—"Concert Tour"—No. 2, relayed from City Hall, Waterford. 8.45—"Build Up Your Bridge": Talk by Noel Pearl. 9.20—Denis Cox (baritone). 9.35—"Coming Next Week": Foreword to Willy Reilly and his Colleen Bawn. 9.45—"Irish Music and Musicians." 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"This Week's Opera": Czar and Carpenter (Lortzing).

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

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7.0—News. 7.15—Queen's Hall Orchestra. 7.30—Meditation. 7.55—Prayers. 8.0—News. 8.15—Kitchen Front. 8.20—Records. 9.0—Light Orchestra. 9.45—Organ. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Schools. 12.0—B.B.C. Chorus. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1.0—News. 1.15—Harry Roy. 2.0 Schools. 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Orchestra. 4.15—Talk. 4.30—Orchestra. 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0—News.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

CORBETT—September 7, 1943, to wife of R. John H. Corbett, Glas House, Gorey, Co. Wexford, a

MACKEN—September 10, 1943, Bride's Private Nursing Home, way, to Peggy, wife of Walter M a son (Ultan Joseph).

WELLS-KELLY—September 9, 19 a private nursing home, Lond Eleanor, wife of Ernest Well (formerly of 16 Oakley road gift of a son.

MARRIAGES.

HEGARTY and HARFORD—Sep 1, 1943, at University C Stephen's Green, Dublin (with Mass), by the Rev. J. Hegarty, The Cathedral, Cork (brother bridegroom), James P., son of M Mrs. Timothy Hegarty, Buxton Sunday's Well, Cork, to Eli Mary (Elsie) Harford, Du daughter of the late Mr. and Richard Harford, Malahide, Co. I

PEACOCK and TODD—Septemb 1943, at Ormond Quay and Presbyterian Church, Dublin, b Rev. T. Byers, M.A., Albert F., s son of Mrs. A. S. Peacock and Inia William J. Peacock, Belfa Mary Ethel, eldest daughter c William F. Todd and of the lat Todd, Dublin.

DIAMOND WEDDING.

KEOGH and PLASTO—Septembe 1883, at Dublin, Patrick J Keogh to Marianne Plasto, Eag Strandville avenue, Clontarf.

DEATHS

BOYD—September 19, 1943, M Matthew, eldest son of Captai Mrs. R. J. Boyd, 146 Rathgar Dublin. Funeral (private), aft o'clock Mass, from Rathgar to-morrow (Tuesday). No R.I.P.

BUSHELL—September 16, 194 her residence, Carrickfergus, Elizabeth, elder daughter of th Samuel John Bushell, Inc Dublin. Funeral private.

CARR—September 18, 1943, Ranelagh road, Margaret Anne surviving daughter of the late W and Margaret Carr, Dublin, regretted. R.I.P. Funeral, aft o'clock Mass to-day (Monday), Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmin Grasnevin.

CLOTHIER—September 17, 1943, R George Clothier, darling husba Sophia Clothier and dearly-love of the late Joseph and Maria Cl of Inchicore. Funeral to-day (Monday), 20th September, from St. Church, Kilmainham, after Serv 10.30, arriving in Mount Jero 11.45. "Safe in the Arms of J

FENTON—September 16, 1943, Jane, widow of Samuel George F Scapatrick House, Banbridge, eldest daughter of the late W Laird Finlay, Belfast.

FORSYTH—At a private nursing Hannah Louisa, widow of th Thomas Forsyth, of Eaton s Terenure. Funeral private. No fl

GRIFFIN—September 19, 1943, Patricia, beloved wife of Jam Griffin, Rosetown House, Athb Co. Kildare. Funeral private.

LOWE—September 19, 1943, at he dence, The Island, Ballyc Offaly, Mary, beloved wife of Lowe. Funeral to Lisa B Ground to-morrow (Tuesday), 2 (S.T.). "Thy will be done."

LYONS—September 18, 1943, at Westmeath, Rebecca Teacher, Drumcree School, wid George Lyons.

McMAHON—September 16, 1943, Milford, County Do James McMahon. Interred in Burying Ground.

MILNLE—September 18, 1943, a residence, Kilmore Lodge, A Mary, wife of the late George Deeply regretted by her sorr family, brothers and grandch Funeral to-day (Monday), 2 o'clo Coolock. "Abide with me."

MORRISON—September 18, 1943, Dublin hospital, John Morrison of 12 Eaton square, Monkstown Dublin. Funeral to-morrow (Tue arriving Dean's Grange Cet 2 p.m. "With Christ, which better."

MULKERNS—September 18, 194 St. Patrick's Home, Kilmai Dublin, Martin Mulkerns, lat G.S. Railways, deeply regr R.I.P. Funeral private

SHERIDAN—September 18, 1943, private nursing home, Dublin, Fle dearly-beloved wife of Michael She 5 Clyde road, Ballsbridge, Dublin of Navan; to the inexpressible of her sorrowing husband and ch R.I.P. Requiem Mass at St. Church, Haddington road, (Monday), 11 o'clock. F immediately afterwards to Cemetery, Navan, arriving 1 o approximately.

STEWART—September 16, 1943, home, Cornwall, Alexander G Stewart, son of the late H. L. St of Limerick. From illness cont in the Great War.

STOKES—September 19, 1943, residence, Cregg House, Carri Suir (after a prolonged ill Patrick Stokes. Remains wi removed to St. Nicholas' C Carrick-on-Suir, on Tuesday, 6.30 p.m. Funeral leaving Gambonsfield, Kilsheelan, 10-0 (Tuesday), after High Mass at a.m. (new time), arriving Gar Mol 12.30 (new time).

STRAIN—September 18, 1943, suddenly), at his residence, 24 Cr Park, Glasnevin, Dublin, Alex beloved husband of Kathleen S and eldest son of the late J Douglas Strain, of Cremore, Armagh. Funeral Service at Presbyterian Church, Parnell s to-morrow (Tuesday) at 10 leaving the church for Grange at 10.30. Friends wishi send flowers, please forward a do instead to either Drumcondra Hc or Adelaide Hospital.

THOMPSON—September 18, 194 Bundoran, Mrs. Frances Thon late of Castlerea and Dublin. Fi to-morrow (Tuesday), after 11 Mass, to Castlerea.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late fo Column will be found on Page

IN MEMORIAM.

LATCHFORD—In loving remembr of our beloved father, Richar Latchford, called Home 20th Se ber, 1940. "Peace, perfect peac

MASON—In memory of our dearly sister, Bella, who fell s September 20th, 1942, at 11 Fa road, Glasnevin, Dublin. "Away on the beautiful Hill of In that Valley of Peace so f Some day, some time, when ou is done. We shall meet our loved one t —Inserted by her sisters and bre

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IRISH BAKERS', CONFECTIONERS' AND ALLIED WORKERS' AMALGAMATED UNION. 37 Lower Gardiner Street, Dublin. 22nd September 1943. NOTICE. TRADE UNION TRIBUNAL (Trade Union Act, 1941-42) The Irish Bakers' Confectioners' and Allied Workers' Amalgamated Union desires to give notice to all whom it may concern that at the resumed hearing To-morrow (Friday), September 24th, of its application before the Trade Union Tribunal the Union's representatives will apply for an adjournment JOHN SWIFT, General Secretary.

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PHILIP MONAHAN, City Manager and Town Clerk. Office of the City Manager and Town Clerk, City Hall, Cork. 22nd September, 1943.

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